

NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS.

Matters of Interest Sent in By Correspondents.

MIDDLEBRANCH.

Middlebranch, Sept. 12.—Mrs. Rommel of Michigan, visited with Mrs. Katie Bair Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. Cori entertained friends from New Berlin and Canton Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Miller, of Chicago, were pleasantly entertained Friday evening by the string band at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Roush. A dainty luncheon was served.

School opens Monday with Mr. Monree, of Sparta, as instructor. The Oval City school also opens Monday. Carl Bair is the instructor. Mr. Delap, of Canton, will be township music teacher for the coming year.

Mrs. Barbara Gibson and Myrtle Losh are visiting with Michigan relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hershey took an automobile trip to Lorain and Cleveland Sunday.

Martin Phillips has the typhoid fever. Mrs. Henry Brown, Canton, visited several days with friends and relatives here last week.

Charles Sticker was hurt by a runaway team last week.

Mrs. M. M. Painter is entertaining Cleveland friends.

Solomon Hershey, of Beaver Falls, Pa., spent several days this week with Postmaster E. M. Hershey and wife.

Mrs. David Hoffman, east of town, was taken to the hospital Tuesday and was operated on for appendicitis and a water tumor.

A number from here attended the funeral of Clarence Snyder at Carlo Sunday afternoon.

Ephraim Brumbaugh, of Kent, called on old friends and neighbors in town Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Fall, of Hartsville, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wise Wednesday.

Dr. and Mrs. Cori attended the wedding of the former's sister, Miss Clara Buchman and Mr. Jones, of Detroit. They were married at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Carnes in Canton Wednesday evening.

CARROLLTON.

Carrollton, Sept. 12.—Mr. and Mrs. John Caudie have gone to housekeeping in one of the houses in the Allen addition.

John A. Hunter, of Washington, D. C., was in town Tuesday evening. He is visiting his mother, Mrs. James R. Weir, in Washington township on his return from a fishing trip in Canada. Mr. Hunter holds an appointment in the government printing office at Washington, D. C.

Sam Wetzel is clerking in the C. R. Mizer grocery store.

Prof. John K. Bell was up from Dell Roy on Wednesday.

Frank Moody is erecting a residence in the Moody addition.

R. A. McLaughlin is taking a week's outing at Detroit. Will Riddle is in charge of the cigar store during his absence.

Dr. and Mrs. W. T. Atherton of Cleveland were guests of Carrollton relatives the first of last week.

William Morgan of Cleveland, Kent Morgan of Boston, Mass., and Mr. and Mrs. George Cook of Cleveland are guests at the home of Mrs. H. H. Hart.

Rev. George Beam of Des Moines, Iowa, was a guest of his parents, Rev. and Mrs. S. J. Beam, the first of last week. Mr. Beam, Jr., has been extended a call to the Reformed church at Wadsworth and had been there looking over the situation. Henry L. Beam has resigned the pastorate at that place to take a professorship at Tiffin, in Heidelberg university.

The music pupils of Miss Laura Essig gave a recital in her home Monday evening.

Have Hemming, Carrollton's crack basketball and leading slugger, broke a bone in his left hand in the first inning of the afternoon game Monday, while sliding to home plate on a close play. The injury will keep him from work a couple of weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Lord of Akron are visiting her mother and sisters, Mrs. E. C. Kennedy and daughters Mattie and Christine.

George M. Hardesty and Miss Mary Auld of Alliance were guests of Mr. Hardesty's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kirk Hardesty, from Saturday until Monday.

L. A. McCort of Pittsburgh, Pa., is visiting relatives in and around Carrollton. Mr. McCort is a linotype operator on the Pittsburgh Dispatch.

Henry and Frank Woodward went to Onida on Monday and spent part of the day fishing in Big Sandy.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Sanderson and family of Uniontown, Pa., are guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Sanderson.

There were sixteen applications at the county teachers' examination held here Saturday.

Austin Wertz, a former employee of the Carrollton Novelty works, was a guest of Carrollton friends, Sunday. Mr. Wertz is now located at Dubuque, Iowa.

John Gantz, one of Carrollton's prominent citizens, suffered a stroke of paralysis early Monday morning, from which he died before noon. The funeral services were conducted from the late residence at 2 o'clock, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Kemper are making an extended tour of the eastern cities.

Miss Ida Hagerman entertained the Royal Embroidery club, Monday evening.

Mrs. E. P. Sterling entertained the Euchre club, Tuesday evening.

J. Madison Long, a prominent farmer living one mile west of town, and Miss Mary Leeper of Leesville were united in marriage at the home of the bride's mother at Leesville on Wednesday.

NEW BALTIMORE.

New Baltimore, Sept. 12.—Ralph Wolfgang of Letonia is visiting his cousin, Mrs. Floyd Chalm.

Miss Winifred Faure, niece of Mrs. A. C. Stevens, has returned to her home in Letonia.

Friends and relatives to the number of about fifty gathered at the pleasant home of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Stevens in honor of their fifteenth wedding anniversary. The eldest man present was A. R. Dapton, who will be 90 years old October 15. The wedding ceremony was performed by William Nash.

Herbert Damon of Alliance spent last week here with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Damon.

Mr. and Mrs. Funkhouser of Virginia are visiting Mrs. David Funkhouser.

Burford Mosley is visiting friends in Canton.

Mrs. Teeple of Ashabula has returned to her home after a short visit here with her sister, Mrs. A. C. Stevens.

Mrs. May Lawrence of Ashabula visited relatives here last week.

Mrs. Belle Higley, after a visit of several weeks here, returned to New York. Mr. Beese of Livingston, Montana, former resident of this place, is visiting friends here.

Mr. Whitestone of Sioux City, Iowa, a resident of this place over forty years ago, was calling in town Wednesday.

Miss Gladys Palmer of Ashabula is visiting at A. A. Stevens.

Miss Gladys Palmer commenced her year's school work in the Alexander district, Handberg township, last Monday.

Mr. Steady made a business trip to Alliance Sunday.

Miss Clara Baum is visiting friends in Canton.

Mr. and Mrs. George Wolff have returned home after a short visit with their son in Canton.

Harriet Chalm and Charles Hamilton, accompanied by their wives, also I. D.

Bryan and William Nash, spent part of last week at the state fair in Columbus.

RHODES.

Rhodes, Sept. 12.—Miss Kate Thomas of Akron is visiting at the home of her mother at the Patch.

The U. S. Telephone company has a force of men at work, running two new copper lines through our village.

Mrs. Desse Hollinger is on the sick list.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. James Flounders is seriously ill.

Charles Stevens and son, Daniel of Massillon visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Vetter, Wednesday evening.

E. L. Patterson and Leroy Bash have returned from Mackinac.

At a special meeting of the board of education of the township, J. Per Lee Shilling, former principal of the sixteen schools, resigned his position and withdrew his application for the superintendency to accept a position as principal of the high school at Canal Fulton. He will enter upon his new work Monday.

Robert Kaufman, a last-year's student at the Myers school, has been hired to fill the sixteen principalship.

Mrs. Carrie Howard of West Massillon was a Patch visitor, Wednesday.

Port Camp was a Canton visitor, Thursday.

Clarence Stansbury of Crystal Springs visited at the home of John Obendorf, Thursday.

C. Kaufman was a Brookfield visitor, Thursday.

John Obendorf is working at the Gels mine.

News subscribers are requested to settle their subscriptions at once, to enable the agent to close accounts before Saturday, September 18. E. A. Vetter, agent, Massillon, Route 5.

SHIPPENSBURG.

Shippensburg, Sept. 10.—Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Stonemetz and family, of Philomath Hall, spent Sunday at P. F. Frank's.

Miss August Clair and Mrs. Charles Wertenberger spent Sunday with Mrs. Jane Wolf.

The Misses Pearl and Dorothy Bollia, of Canton, spent Wednesday with Miss Laura Frank.

Miss Esther Wenger has returned from Columbus.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Steele, of Soap Creek, and Roy Steele and son, Virgil, of Carrollton, were guests of relatives here this week.

Mr. Moore and family have moved here from Dillonvale and occupy the Peter Sagle property on Elizabeth street.

John Stockton and family have moved here from Carrollton into his property on West Walnut street, recently purchased by the Hottelers heirs.

Mrs. Patricia is visiting relatives in Carrollton.

Rev. Charles Rönch, of Churchhill, is visiting his many friends here before entering college at New York.

Mrs. James Carr was given a supper and surprise by ten of her relatives Wednesday in honor of her birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hart visited friends in Carrollton Wednesday.

Mrs. Frank Pierman, of Cleveland, has concluded a visit here with relatives.

Mrs. Charles Downer is visiting her daughter in Canton.

Mrs. Arthur Beckman spent Wednesday night here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Haines, en route from Cleveland to her home in Cortland.

Mrs. George Moncrief, of Pattersonville, and her aunt, Mrs. Moncrief, of Summitville, were guests of Mrs. Maria Clark Wednesday.

Miss Mary Haines is visiting friends in Cleveland.

Miss Jessie Gotshall is visiting her sister in Mt. Vernon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Stewart and Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Grunder spent Thursday in Canton making the trip in the former's automobile.

Mrs. Fern Chapman, of Grand Lodge, Mich., is trimming in the millinery store of Mrs. Frank Mong this fall.

Miss Coral Steffy has returned from a visit with relatives in Pennsylvania.

Cards have been received here announcing the marriage of George Cook and Miss Carrie Harsh, of Cleveland.

Miss Harsh is a daughter of Levi Harsh of this place and formerly a Minerva girl. She has been employed in Cleveland the last three years. They will reside at 1322 East 58th street, Cleveland.

SOUTH HARTVILLE.

South Hartville, Sept. 10.—Charles Bishop of Greentown, was visiting his parents Sunday.

Clave Woodling was a guest of H. C. Baird and family Sunday.

Christian Grubb was plastering at the Lake school house Wednesday.

Robert Carper was taken to the hospital Sunday with a case of typhoid fever.

Miss Mary Bishop was visiting friends and relatives at Greentown Sunday afternoon.

Willie Werstler was a guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Werstler, Sunday.

Mrs. Helen Dotson is improving as much as can be expected.

Harvey Anstine and family were visiting in New Berlin Sunday.

The Knolly reunion was held at George Knolly's last Saturday, the 4th. The Greenstown band played.

Mrs. Calvin Grove was taken to the hospital in Canton with the typhoid fever.

The Chapel Hill school opened last Monday.

Solomon Roehpacher and wife and daughter, Vera, and son, Robt., were Canton callers Saturday.

Kenneth A. Lippman, who spent his summer vacation with his son, Mrs. C. T. Carlson, at his summer home at Conneaut Lake, has returned to Cleveland to begin school.



JOHN R. BRADLEY, WHO FINANCED DR. COOK'S POLAR DASH, AND DECK OF THE JOHN R. BRADLEY.

John R. Bradley, explorer, traveler and big game hunter, who financed Dr. Cook's dash to the north pole, is a very picturesque and interesting individual. According to Bradley, the Cook expedition cost him in the neighborhood of \$50,000. "This," he declares, "shows that Dr. Cook did not go to the north pole with only a straw hat." The sum named covers the cost of the ship used and the Cook-Bradley hunting tour. Bradley has also qualified as an authority concerning the sweet tooth of the Eskimo. In explaining why two barrels of gum drops were part of the expedition, Bradley declared that an Eskimo will travel thirty miles for one gum drop.

Congressman Kennedy Finds New, Soulless, Rapacious Trust

"Break Up the Importers' Combine and People Will Get Imported Articles as Cheaply as Those Made Here," He Says.

"Absolutely the most rapacious and soulless trust in the world, beside whose methods those of Standard Oil and United Steel pale into insignificance," is the way Congressman James Kennedy of Youngstown characterizes the importers' trust he has discovered.

And, incidentally, he has also discovered a means of smashing the trust and making all imported articles sold in America cheaper than now dreamed of.

Kennedy arrived in Canton Friday. He visited the centennial, pronounced it the greatest ever held by a city of its size, outlined his plan for smashing the importers' trust and predicted the greatest car famine the country has ever seen this fall.

Congressman Kennedy is on the ways and means committee of congress. He had much to do with the framing of the recent tariff bill. His remedy for high prices, however, failed to secure a successful hearing.

Kennedy insists that it is not the tariff which forces the prices of imported goods up but the rapacity of the importers' trust. He said many foreign articles in general use in America are not taxed at all, yet their prices are higher here than anywhere else in the world.

"If the American public were better informed on the tariff and particularly on the phase of the importing trade, the present high prices would slump in a night," said Mr. Kennedy.

"I endeavored to secure a clause in the tariff bill making it compulsory on all importers to place in or on every article sold in America and imported from another country, a slip of paper, bearing the price in the country where produced, the duties on it and the retail price in America."

"The public would find out what tariff they are paying and what enormous profits go into the pockets of the importers. The result would be that America would simply refuse to buy the articles in question until the price had been divided in many cases by five."

"Take, for instance, tea. There is not a cent of duty on this article. In Canton tea costs five to eight cents a pound. The freight to America adds a little to this. But what does the American pay for this? From 60 cents to \$1 a pound. The difference in the two prices is simply profit to the importer."

"In Canada no tea costs more than 40 cents and this is too high. The lower price is made in Canada because the Canadian consumer will simply stop drinking tea if it is forced higher."

"The price of manufactured cotton is kept up in the same way. The great difference in prices means only profit to the importer."

"A set of china of half a dozen tea cups and saucers, creamer and sugar will cost in Washington or Canton \$7. It cost in Japan or France, just 30 cents. The duty is 60 per cent and freight might bring the price up to a dollar. That \$6 is another evidence of the rapacity of the importers' trust."

"A set of Haviland china will cost in America \$39. In Limoges, France, where it is made, it costs \$5. The tariff makes the price \$8 in New York. The price to the user is nearly five times this amount."

"Break the importers' trust," says Mr. Kennedy. "I can do it by my plan."

Congressman Kennedy is in Canton attending the centennial. He said Friday evening that it was the greatest exposition ever held by a city the size of Canton. He has been covering the exposition with his pen and is of the opinion that the country has fully recovered from the recent panic.

"But the railroads will not be ready for the rush of business that is due in a short time," he said. "For two years the railroads have built no new cars. Their freights have been allowed to lie on sidings. When the fall crop movement comes and the attendant increase in business, the country will see the greatest car famine in history."

Dr. Cook's friends in this city were elated today over the fact that Peary was alone and unaccompanied by any white man when he reached the pole. They said that this was one of the circumstances that had been urged to discredit Cook's story. It appears now, they added, that Peary himself is no better off Cook as regards witnesses, and the whole matter resolves itself merely into a question of veracity between the two men.

The Cook supporters regard the developments since the details of the Peary achievement began to come out as decidedly favoring Dr. Cook. First, Peary himself verified the possibility of making the speed with which Cook says he crossed the northern ice, and now the objection of the Pearyites to Cook's unsupported statement has fallen to the ground. Commander Peary, according to his dispatches, had with him when he reached the pole only his old negro body servant, Matt Hanson—and four Eskimos.

A letter made public today by F. S. Dellenbaugh of the American Geographical society which was written to him last March by Bradley, Cook's financial backer, shows that Mr. Bradley was confident even then that Cook had been successful.

Dr. Cook's neighbors in Brooklyn are driving ahead with their plans for a celebration upon the doctor's homecoming. Near the explorer's home at 670 Bushwick avenue, a triumphal arch of flowers will be raised. There will be a lecture, a parade and an informal reception.

A committee of 100 will be appointed at a mass meeting of the Bushwickites next Monday to manage the celebration.

Dr. Cook Will Arrive First

Rival Celebrations Will Then Begin—Both Are Likely to Take Part in Hudson Celebration.

New York, Sept. 10.—Dr. Cook will arrive in this city on the Oscar II. on September 20 or 21. Peary will get here a few days later. The rival celebrations will then begin. The doings of the polar factiousists mixed up with the Hudson-Fulton celebration will give New York at least one warm week.

The Peary people already have declared in on the Hudson-Fulton celebration itself. This message was received from H. L. Bridgman, secretary of the Peary Arctic club by the Hudson-Fulton commission:

"Peary Arctic club applies for position for its steamer Roosevelt with the North Pole in tercentennial parades."

The commission promptly wired its acceptance. The commission announced afterward that the question of getting the Roosevelt was under discussion when Mr. Bridgman's telegram arrived.

In having the Roosevelt admitted to the Hudson-Fulton celebration Commander Peary's supporters seem to have stolen a march on the Cookites. Some move may be expected from the latter today asking for equal recognition for their leader in the big celebration.

Centennial week is surely marriage week.

If there was another week of celebration to follow it would be necessary to secure a new marriage record book in the probate office.

More hearts have been gladdened by the little slip of paper, that the marriage license clerk hands out during the week of the centennial than in any week previous.

Just thirty hearts have been made to beat as fifteen and thirty souls have been provided with fifteen thoughts by the license clerks.

The saddest feature of the week is the blooming young couples who have been turned down because they are not residents of the county. The young people came to Canton to see the Centennial and attempted to wind up the week by getting married.

PIONEERS' DAY A BIG SUCCESS

Alliance Also Turns Out Enmasse to Take in Sights Friday

ROB'T CASSIDY SPEAKS

Pioneers' day, which was celebrated Friday afternoon in McKinley park, brought many of the old settlers back to Canton, and especially many of the Pennsylvania Germans, who left Pennsylvania early in life to help out their fortunes from the unbroken wilderness of Ohio.

As it was also Alliance day, the eastern part of the county declared a general holiday, and business was everywhere suspended in order that all might come to Canton.

Music was furnished by the Alliance band, which led a march down through the centennial building to the park. Peter Lotzenheiser was president of the day and made the opening address.

"So much have I to say," remarked he, "that I was compelled to reduce my chief points to writing for fear of talking too long."

"The early pioneers who made possible the beautiful county and city we now enjoy should be honored as heroes and heroines as well as the brave boys who went out to fight for their country in '61. All they had to conquer the wilderness of trees and savages was a good stock of courage and flintlock guns."

"After every great national disturbance, there is a migration from one section of the country to the other. After the revolution there was an immediate migration west of the Appalachians and after the Civil war there was a great migration to the western plains and the Pacific states. Half the soldiers of my regiment went west after the war."

"The world is growing better all the time, and we will never need that 'better religion' of which President Eliot speaks."

Robert Cassidy, ex-mayor of Canton, was the principal speaker of the day. He explained that the managers of the exposition had forgotten to open the services with prayer and Germans could not appreciate the program without a religious beginning, so Rev. Herbruck was called upon to give an invocation.

"I am a minute man," said Mr. Cassidy.

side. "That is I am ready at a minute's notice when speaker can be had."

"Is there any among us who love old Pennsylvania? Most all Pennsylvania is in this the center of the United States, and Canton is the center of the hemisphere."

Henry C. Holt of New York read a German poem entitled "way," by H. Harbaugh. In ductory talk he praised the German language in this country and lauded the accomplishments of fellow countrymen.

President of the Board of German selection from a correspondent to a newspaper. Rev. J. F. Kahler of Louisville missed the meeting with the tion.

NO OPERATION MILLMAN

Physicians Find That Not Necessary—Women Held.

ANALYSIS IS

By Sun Leased Wire.

Detroit, Sept. 10.—That no special operation was performed on I. J. Millman and further that there was no necessity for such an operation, no finding of the county physicians after a chemical analysis.

This statement has been made in belief of the police lantern content on the operating to, an implication that the pair of I. J. Millman, a Pennsylvanian, is actually deceived as to her real condition.

The police now have three women who are held as material witnesses in the case. One is Martha Henning, the case of the girl. She was brought to Detroit today and will be kept here for a time at least.

The two others are Mrs. Alice R. hand and Mrs. Cora Nellis. Both of them, it is said, were friends of I. J. Millman, and it is declared that they admitted to the police that they recommended to her doctor that she perform an operation such as she desired.

One of them recommended Dr. Fritch, who is now under arrest.

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